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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

It is requested that the time for filing the Amendment, which is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed February 8, 2006, having a three-month response date of May 8, 2006, be extended to **June 8, 2006**.

The Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 500471 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee as set for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1).

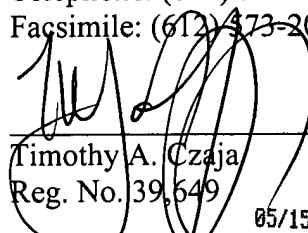
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